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July 6, 1998

RE: DOE FEMP  
COMMENTS: A9P1 REAL-TIME  
SCAN PSP

Mr. Johnny Reising  
U.S. Department of Energy, Fernald Area Office  
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Dear Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's May 8, 1998 submittal "Project Specific Plan for Area 9, Phase 1 Precertification Real-Time Scan." The following comments address our concerns with the document:

Commenting Organization: OEPA      Commentor: OFFO  
Section #: General Comment      Pg. #:      Line #:      Code: G  
Original Comment #:  
Comment: The PSP should be revised to include a figure showing all areas inaccessible to the RTRAK or HPGE due to topography, structures or vegetation.

Commenting Organization: OEPA      Commentor: OFFO  
Section #: General Comment      Pg. #:      Line #:      Code: G  
Original Comment #:  
Comment: Prior to implementation the PSP must be reviewed to ensure consistency with most recent version of the Real-Time Users Manual.

Commenting Organization: OEPA      Commentor: OFFO  
Section #: 2.2      Pg. #:      Line #:      Code: G  
Original Comment #:  
Comment: Ohio EPA believes the HPGe should be used at a height no greater than 1 foot for pre-certification activities. This is especially important considering the lower FRLs to be implemented off-site.

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If you have any questions, please contact Donna Bohannon or me.

Sincerely,



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